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Greetings,

Attached is the presentation for today's meeting.

Cheers,

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RipStream Riparian Rule Analysis Analysis tool development & status

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Outline

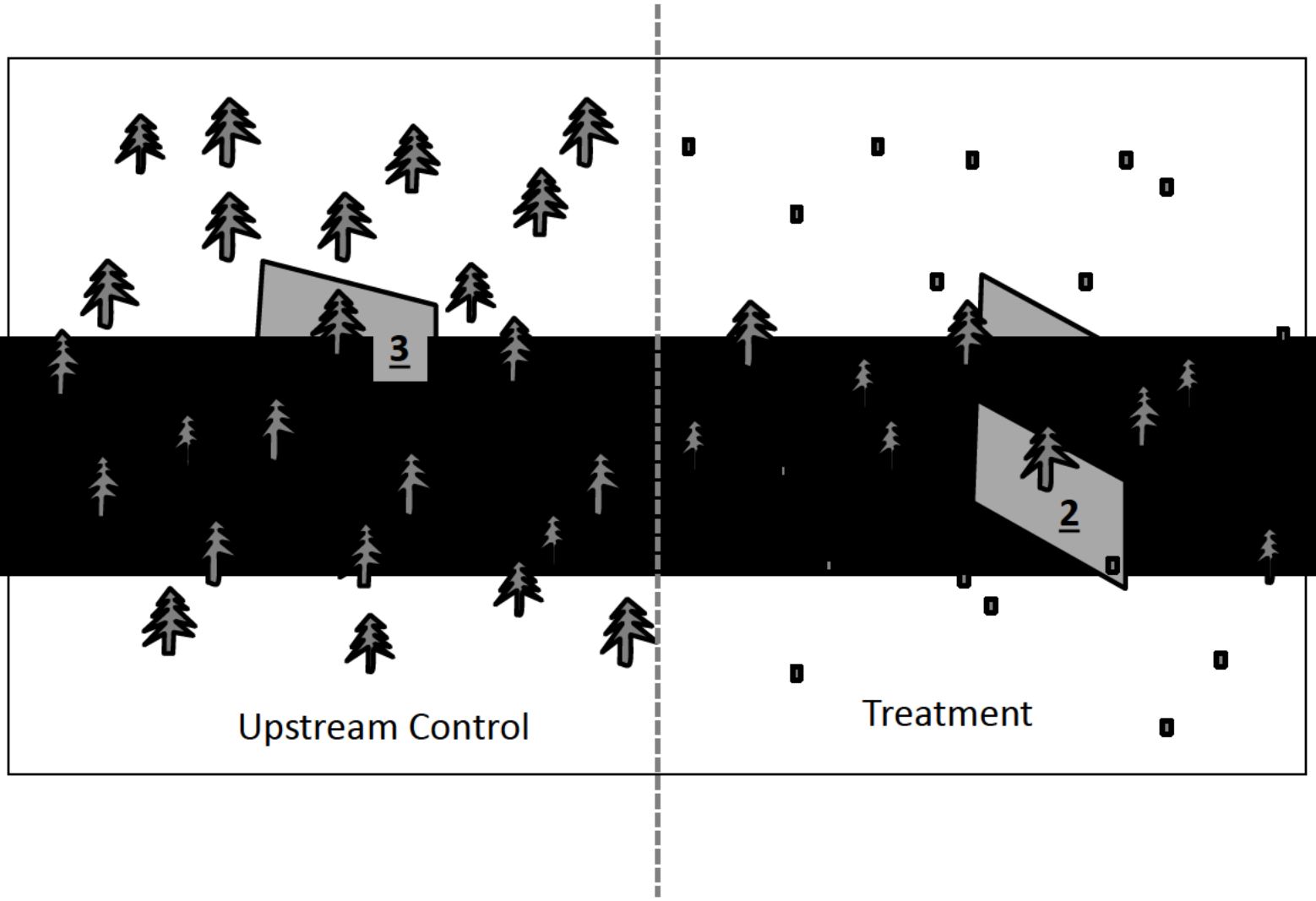
- Meeting goals
- Vegetation plots and what they tell us
- How we are using vegetation plot data
- Analysis
  - Background: what we're doing
  - How it works
  - Shade model alternatives & results
- Prediction: As harvested & State Forests
- Next Steps: FPA, alternatives

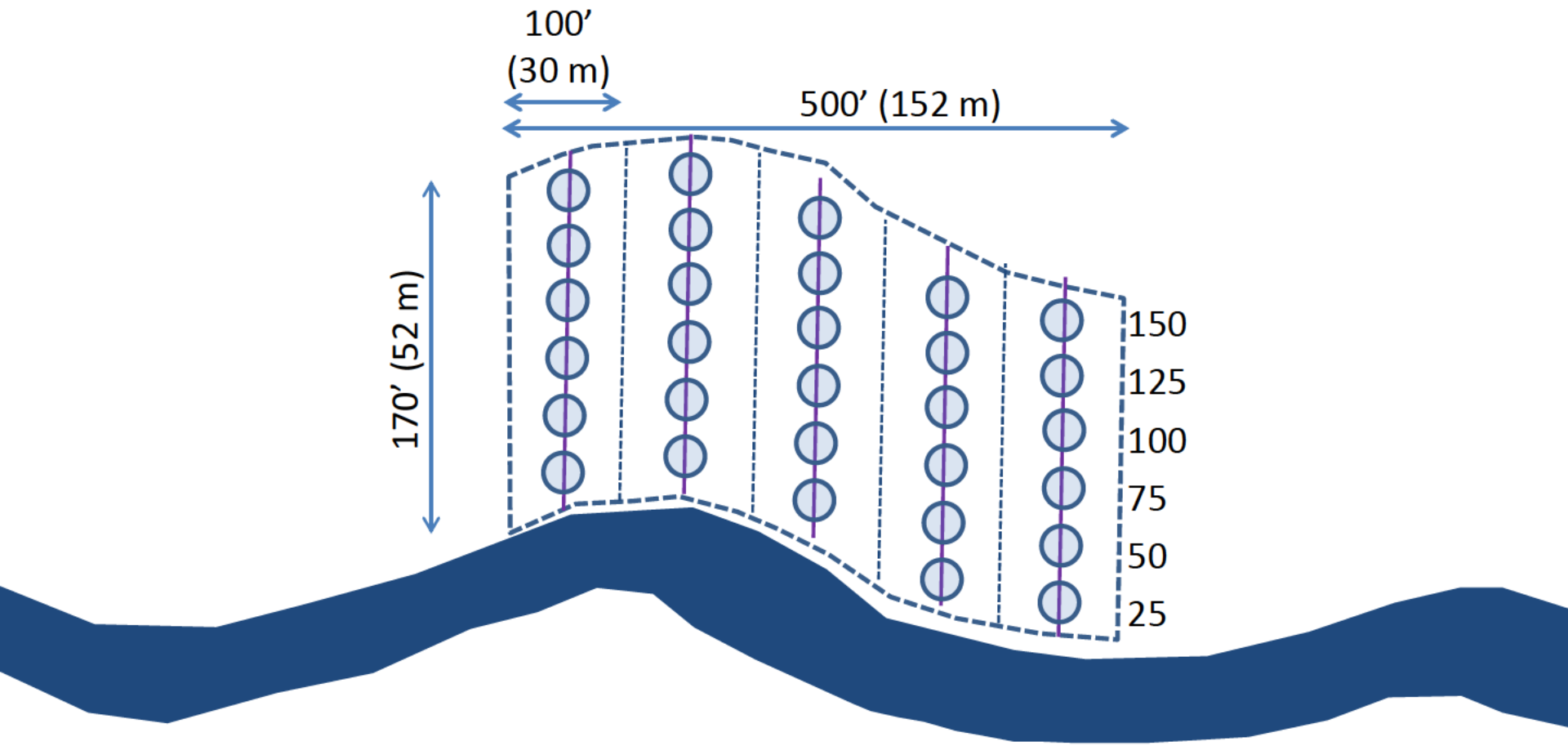
Goals

- Common understanding of model:
  - How it works
  - What goes into it
  - How it can be used
  - Role of the vegetation plot data
- Input on the model process

- Input on prescription development

PLOT LAYOUT



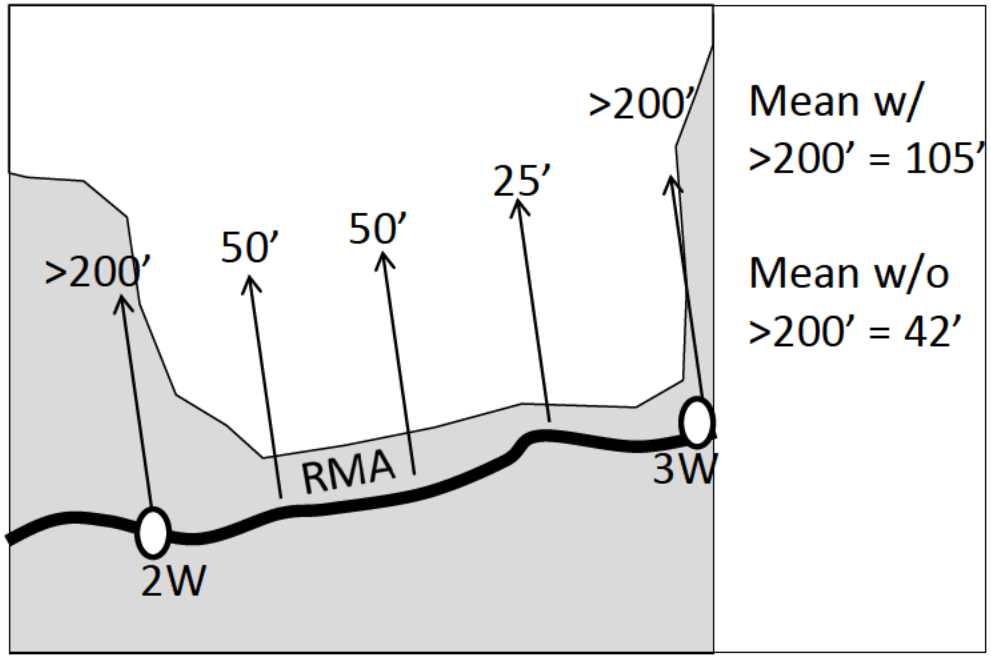

100’
(30 m)
500’ (152 m)
170’ (52 m)
150
125
100
75
50
25

Information from veg plots

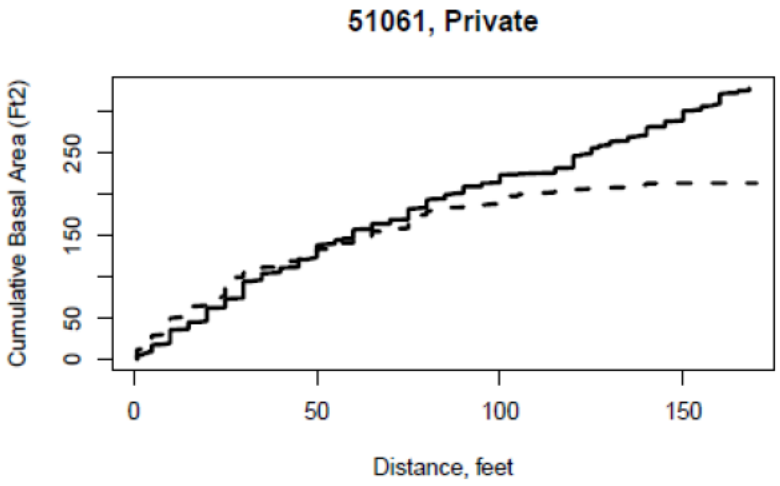
- BA pre, post, change
- Species composition
- Tree height pre (not post)
- Snag/live
- Line that trees were harvested along
- Tree distance (horizontal, slope)
- Distance from stream to “harvest”

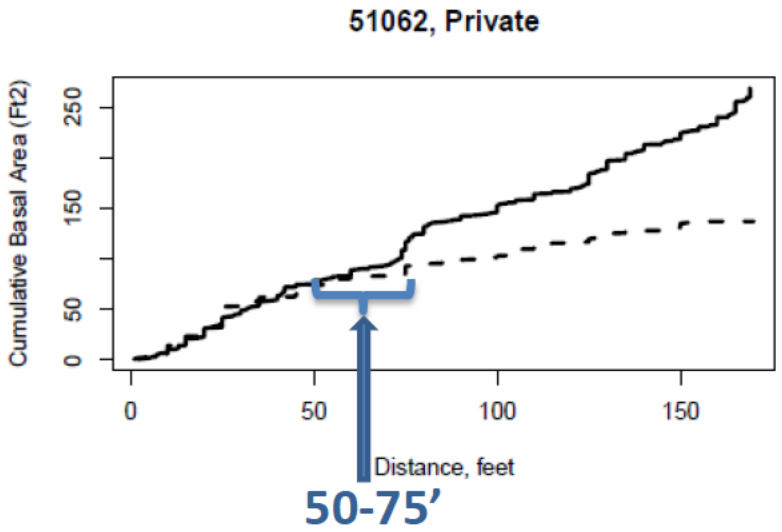
Distance

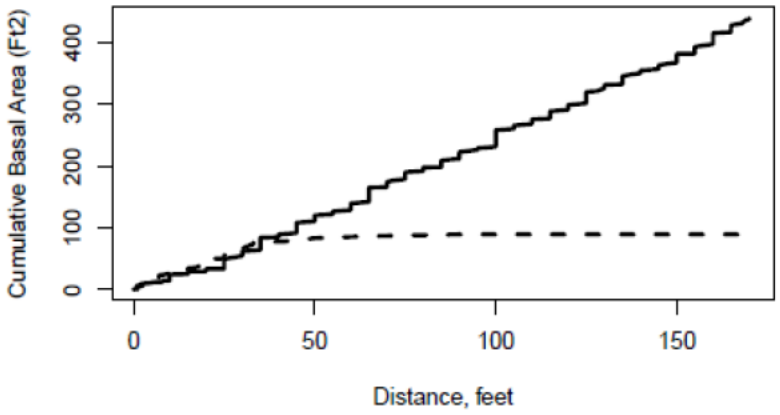
- FEM paper: used intern-measured buffer widths

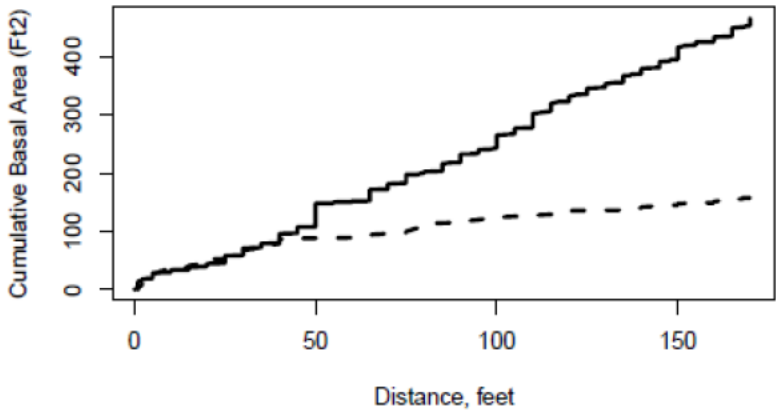


Distance – Vegetation Plots (visual)

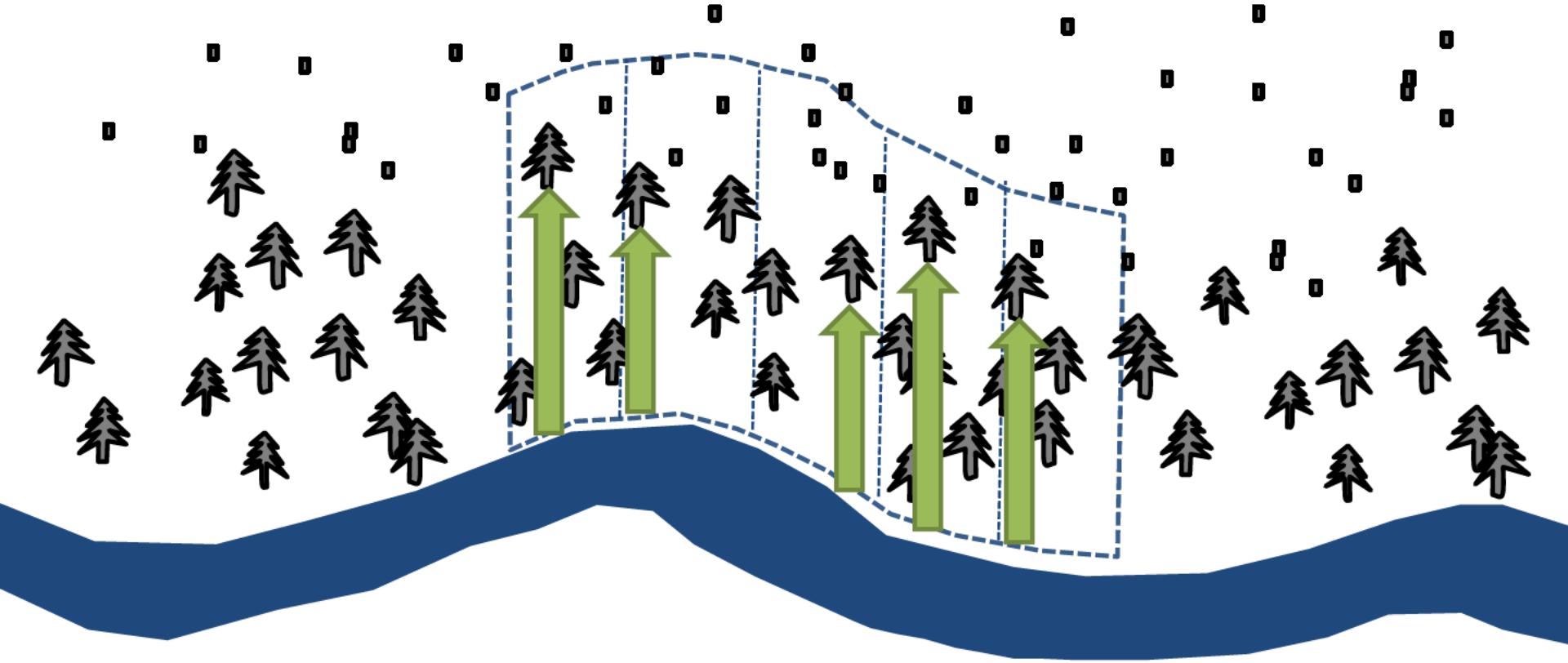








Distance: Vegetation Plot (Empirical)



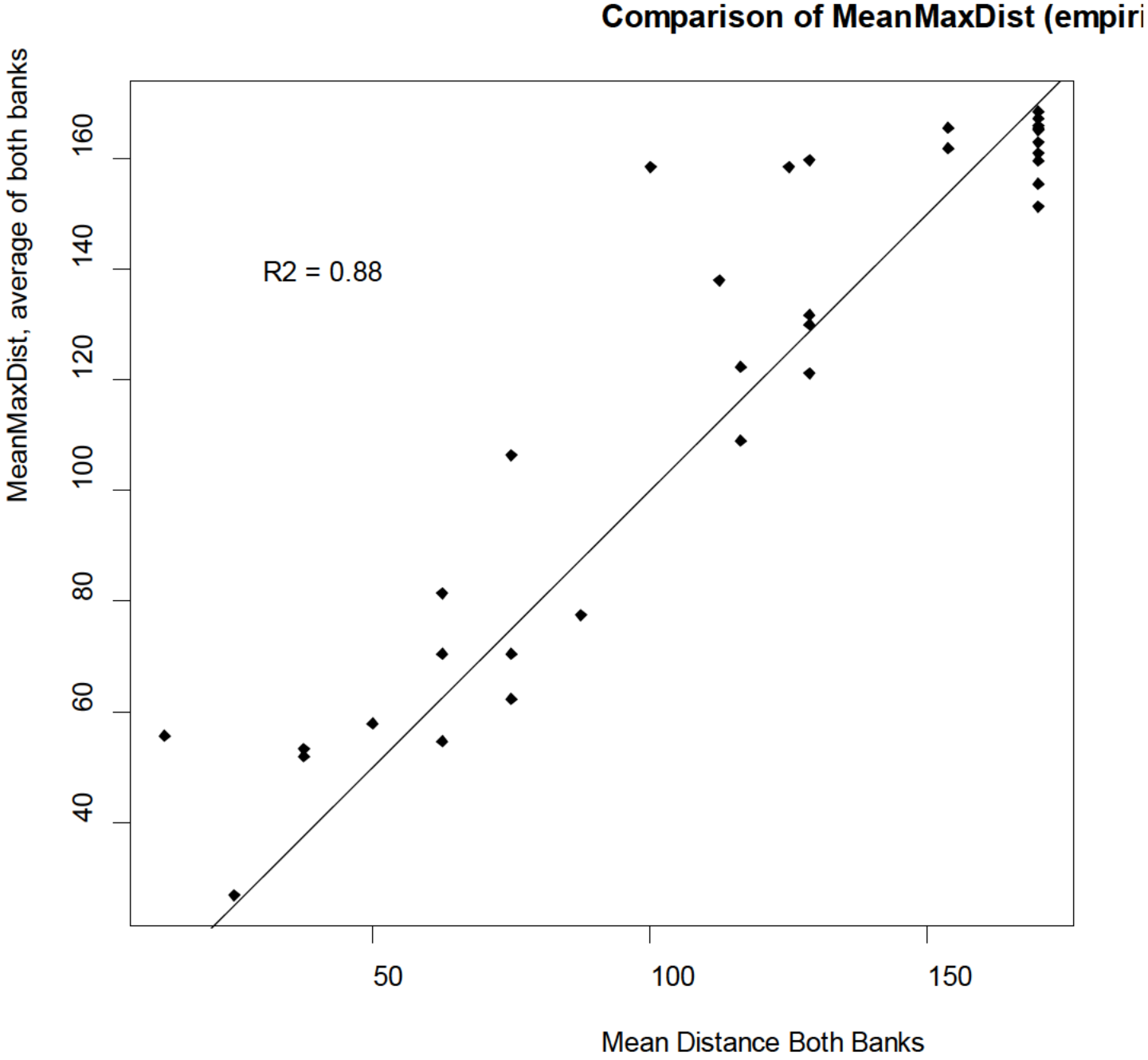
DISTANCE
Which tree in each line is the farthest from the stream?

<u>Of the 5 maximum line distances…</u>

Minimum? MinMaxDist

Mean? MeanMaxDist

Max? MaxMaxDist


Comparison of MeanMaxDist (empiri
MeanMaxDist, average of both banks
40
60
80
100
120
140
160
R2 = 0.88
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Mean Distance Both Banks

On to the Analysis…

Analysis path concept

Effects analysis

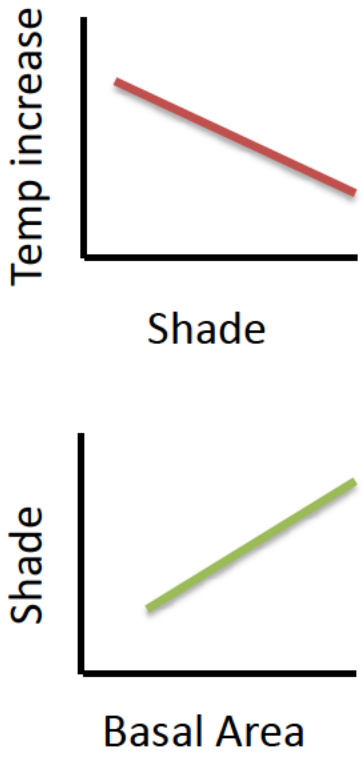
Prediction tool

Vegetation plot preparation

Rule alternative(s)

Range of possibilities

Suggested alterations



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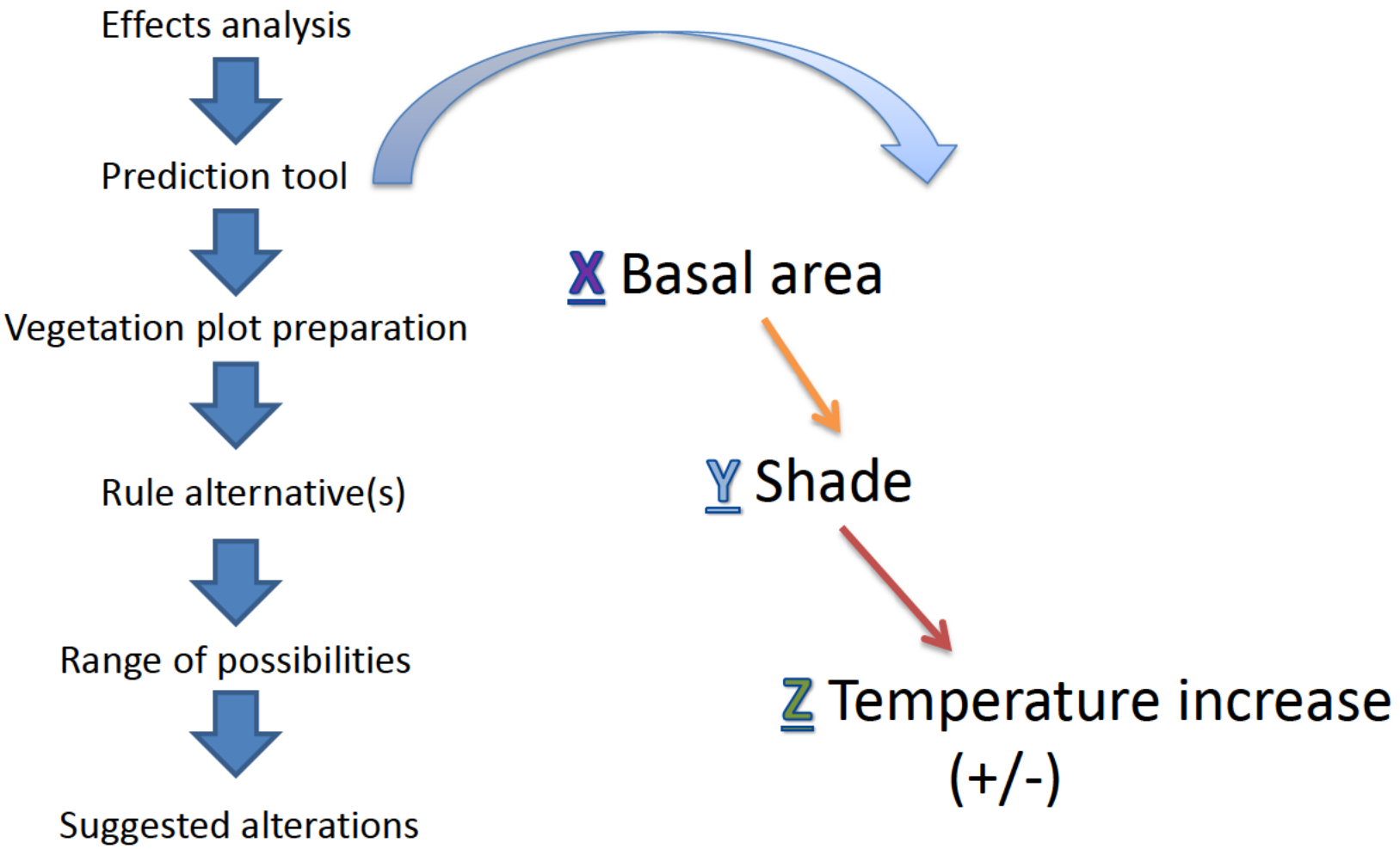

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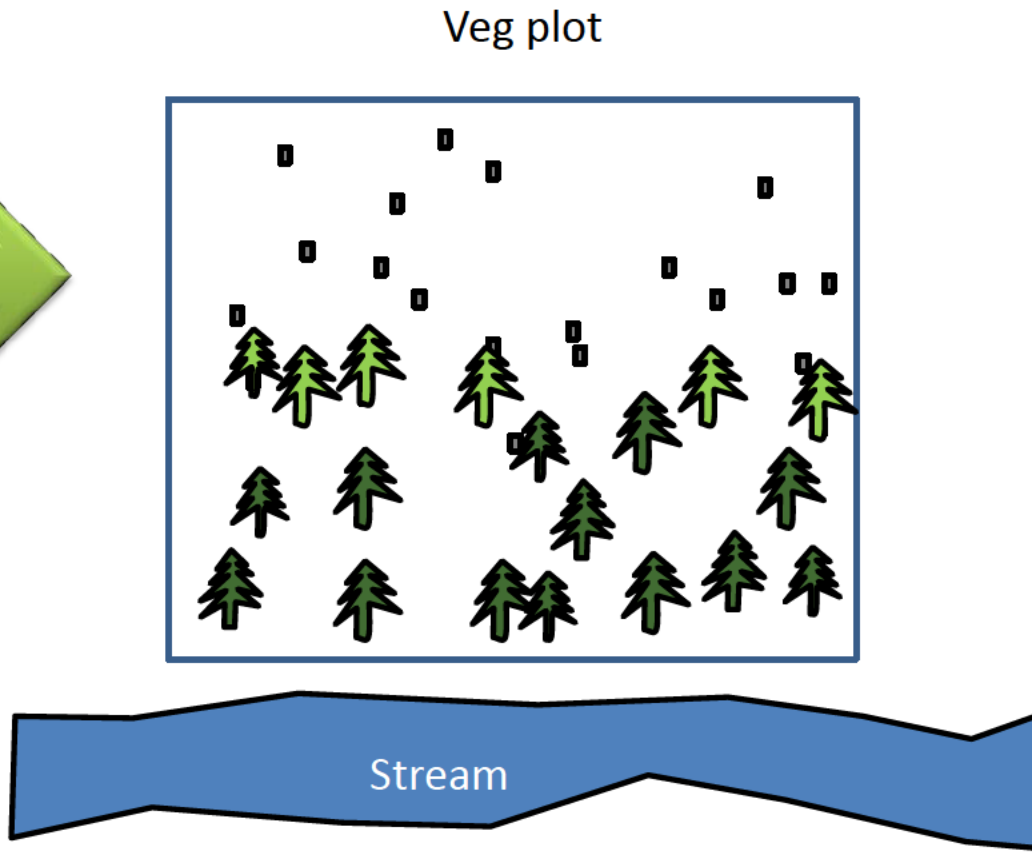

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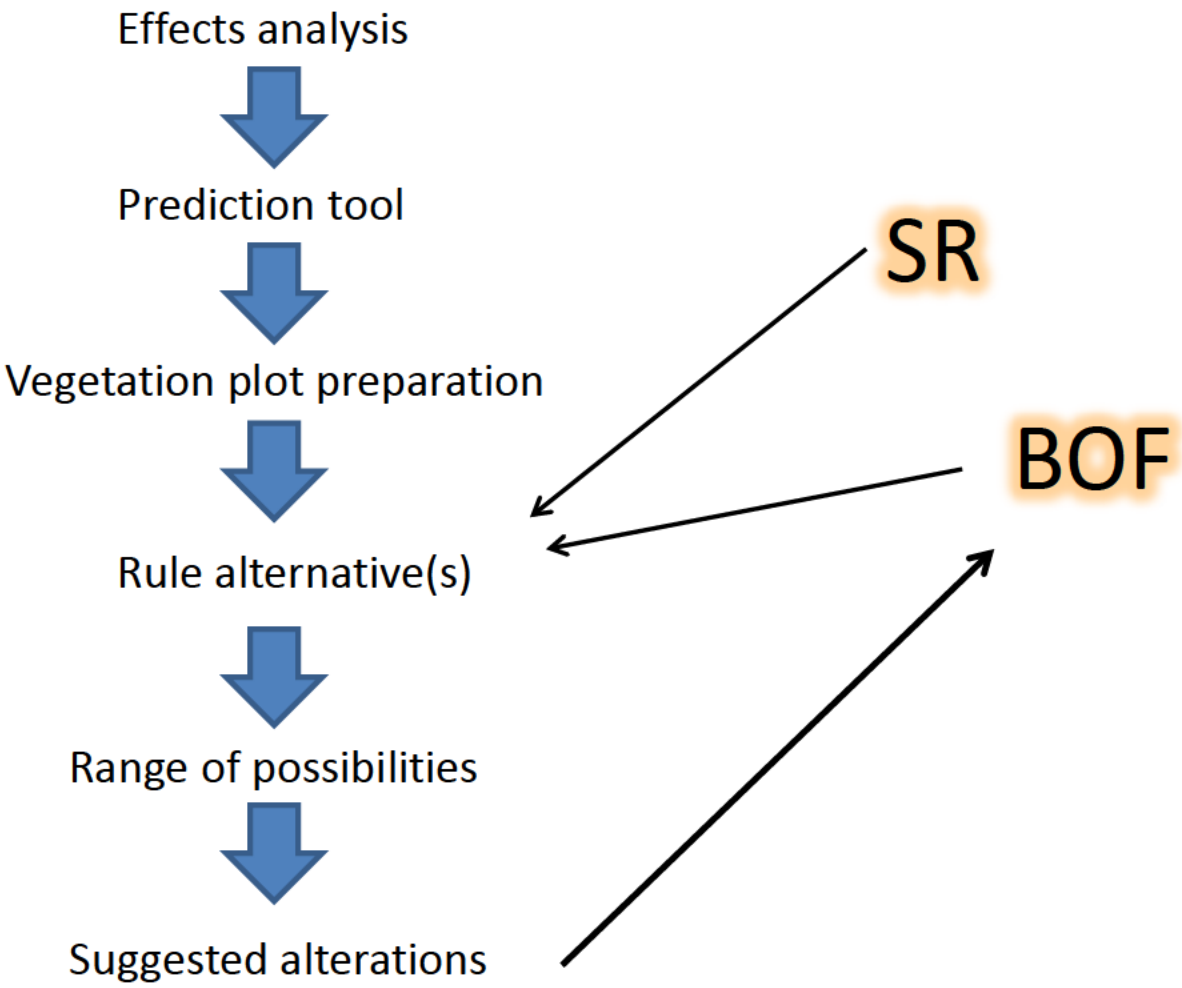
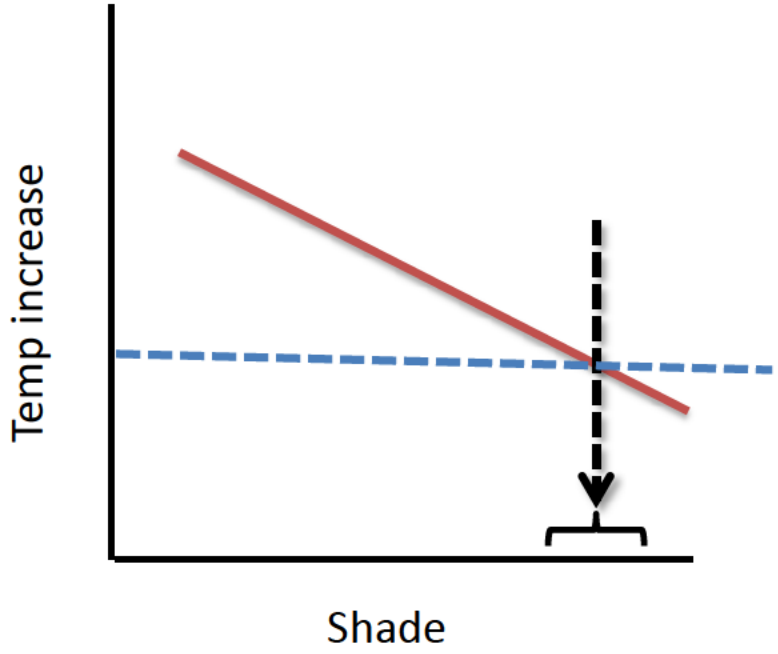
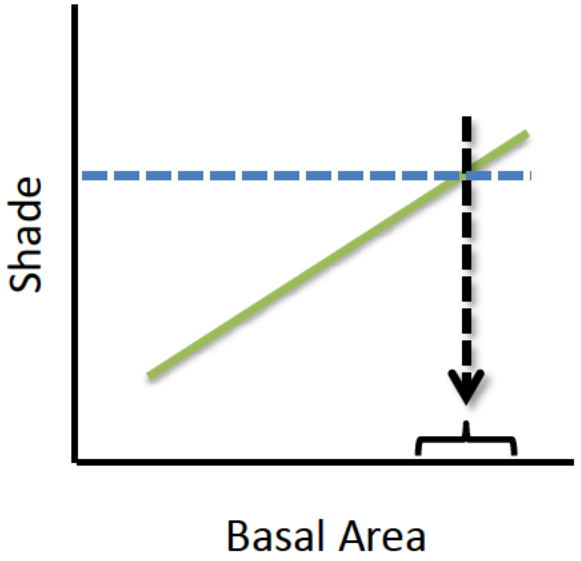


Prediction Tool

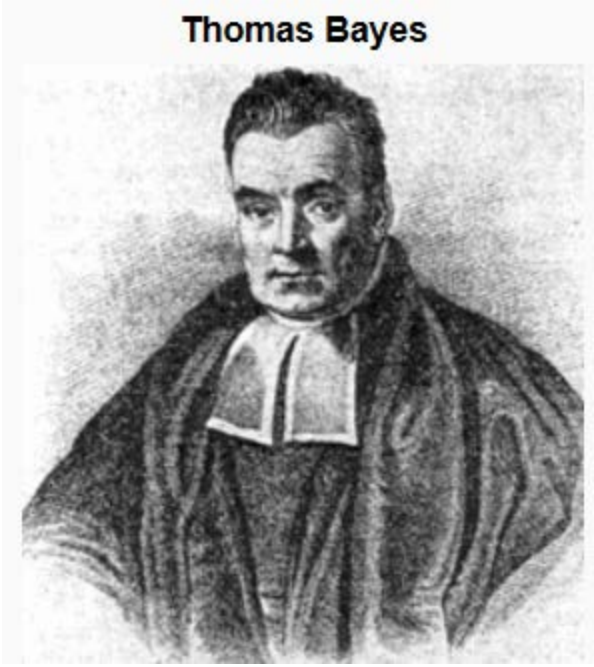
Temperature ⟷ Shade ⟷ Basal Area





Linking analyses

How can we effectively “tie” analyses together?



Bayesian Analysis

- Bayesian & Frequentist
  - Frequentist: Data are random (random draws)
    - » Variables = fixed
  - Bayesian: Variables are random
    - » Data = fixed

- Key point: Models are the same.
  - Probabilities = different

Bayesian Analysis

- Why?? What does this give us?
  - Be able to say “80% chance that temperature increase will be less than 0.2 ˚C”
  - Single model, more information
    - Integrates many data sources easily, defensibly
  - Missing data estimated
  - Many assumptions, but true of MLE models too
    - Restrictions not as limiting

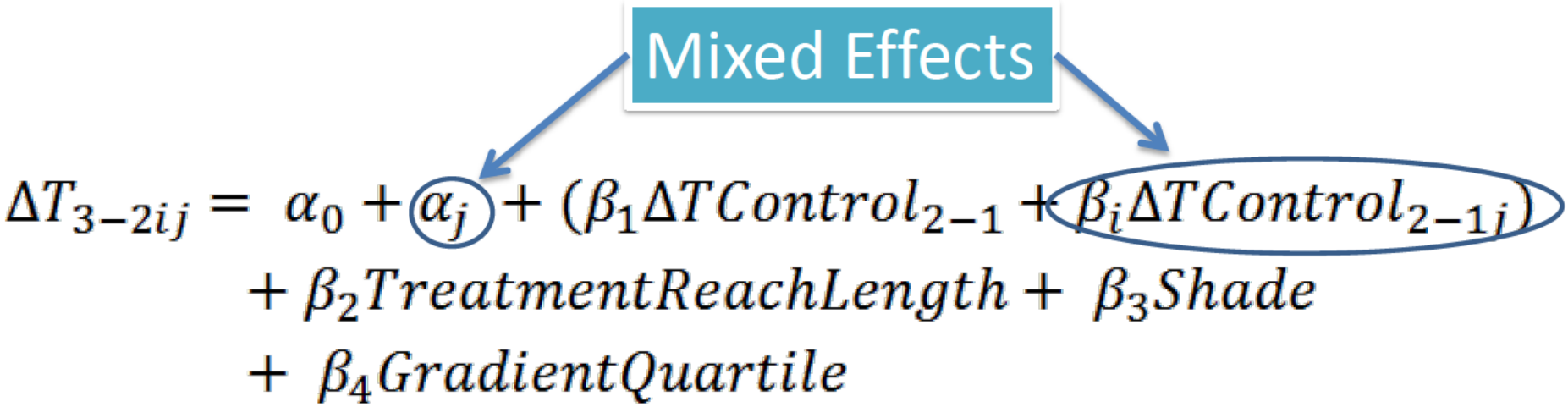
Making the jump

- Using same/similar models as before
  - Shade = weighted regression, Temp = mixed effects
- Coolness:
  - Two sites = missing pre-harvest temperature data, so analysis imputes values
  - With a Bayesian analysis, easy to estimate ***whatever***

- Get ready for equations

Stream Temperature Change

- Temperature: for year i, measuring temperature change in j site…



Detour: shade model development

The ideal shade model

For RipStream, the ideal shade model…

- Explains shade results well
- Makes sense
- Includes all data out to 170’
- Includes a measure of harvest distance

Published model
Forest Ecology & Mgt 2011

Logit of shade = Basal area post-harvest + tree height

Model does well (explains ~ 70% variation)

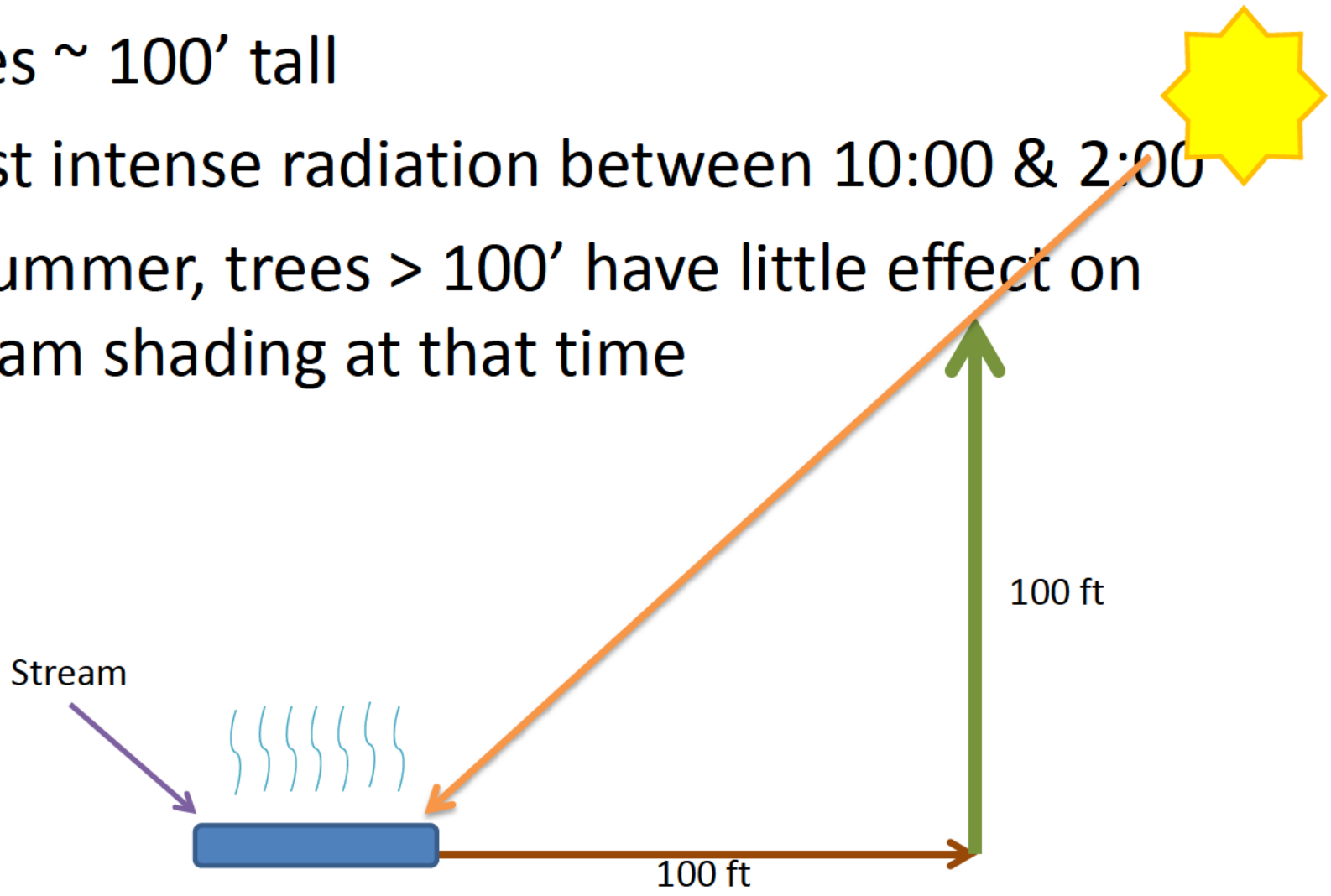
Examines forest out to 100’

Revised shade model: Shade 1

$$Shade_{Post} = \alpha_{Shade} + \beta_{1Shade} Basal\ AreaPre + \beta_{2Shade} TreeHeight + \beta_{3Shade} Basal\ AreaPre * TreeHeight + \beta_{4Shade} BA\_Reduction + \beta_{5Shade} PctHardwoodPre$$

Why 100'?

- Trees ~ 100' tall
- Most intense radiation between 10:00 & 2:00
- In summer, trees > 100' have little effect on stream shading at that time



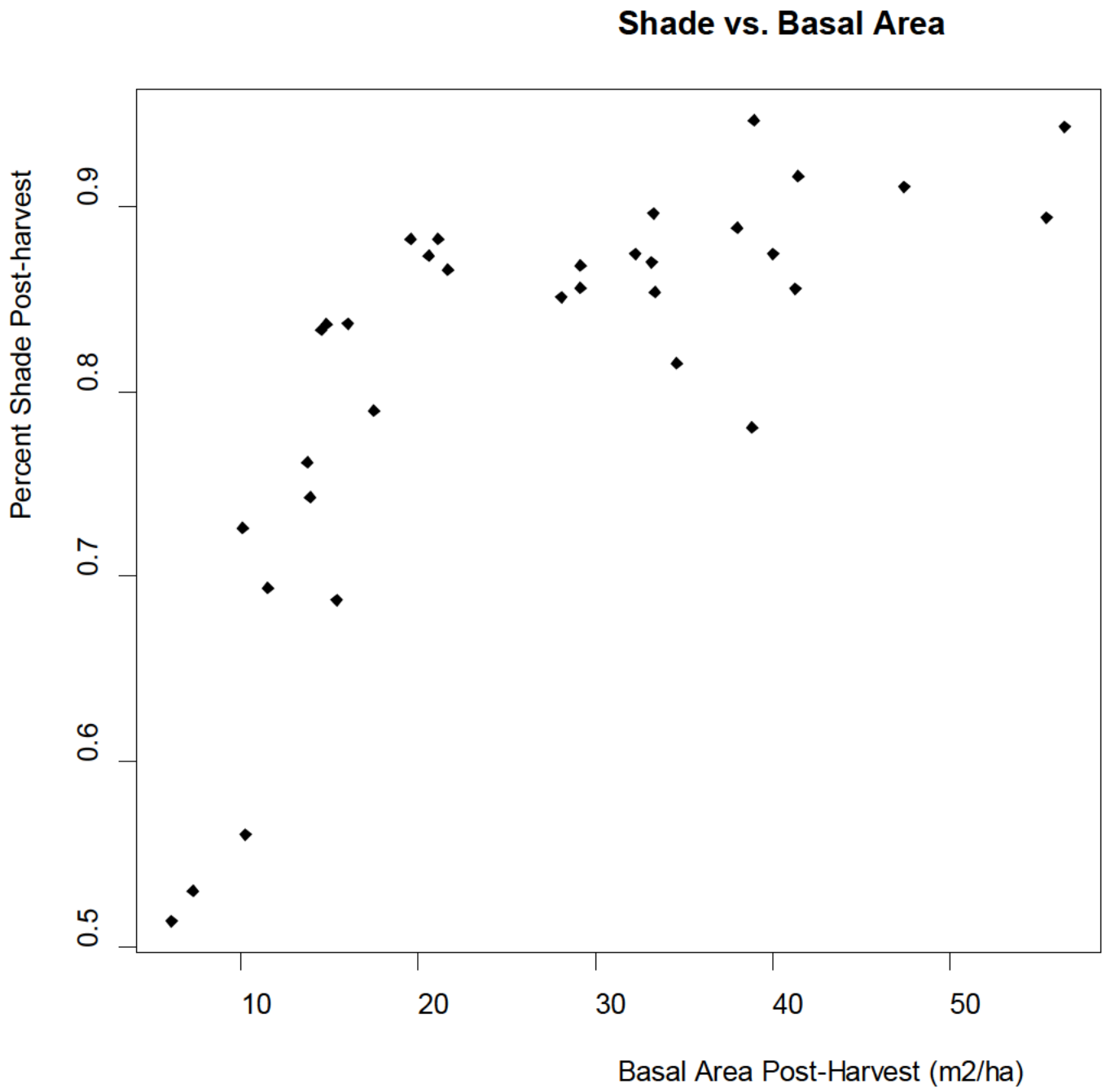
Out to 170'… how to include distance?

- We can include all trees out to 170'

- How do we include a measure of distance in the analysis? (What was the relationship between shade and distance?)

- How do we relate distance to basal area?

Using MeanMaxDist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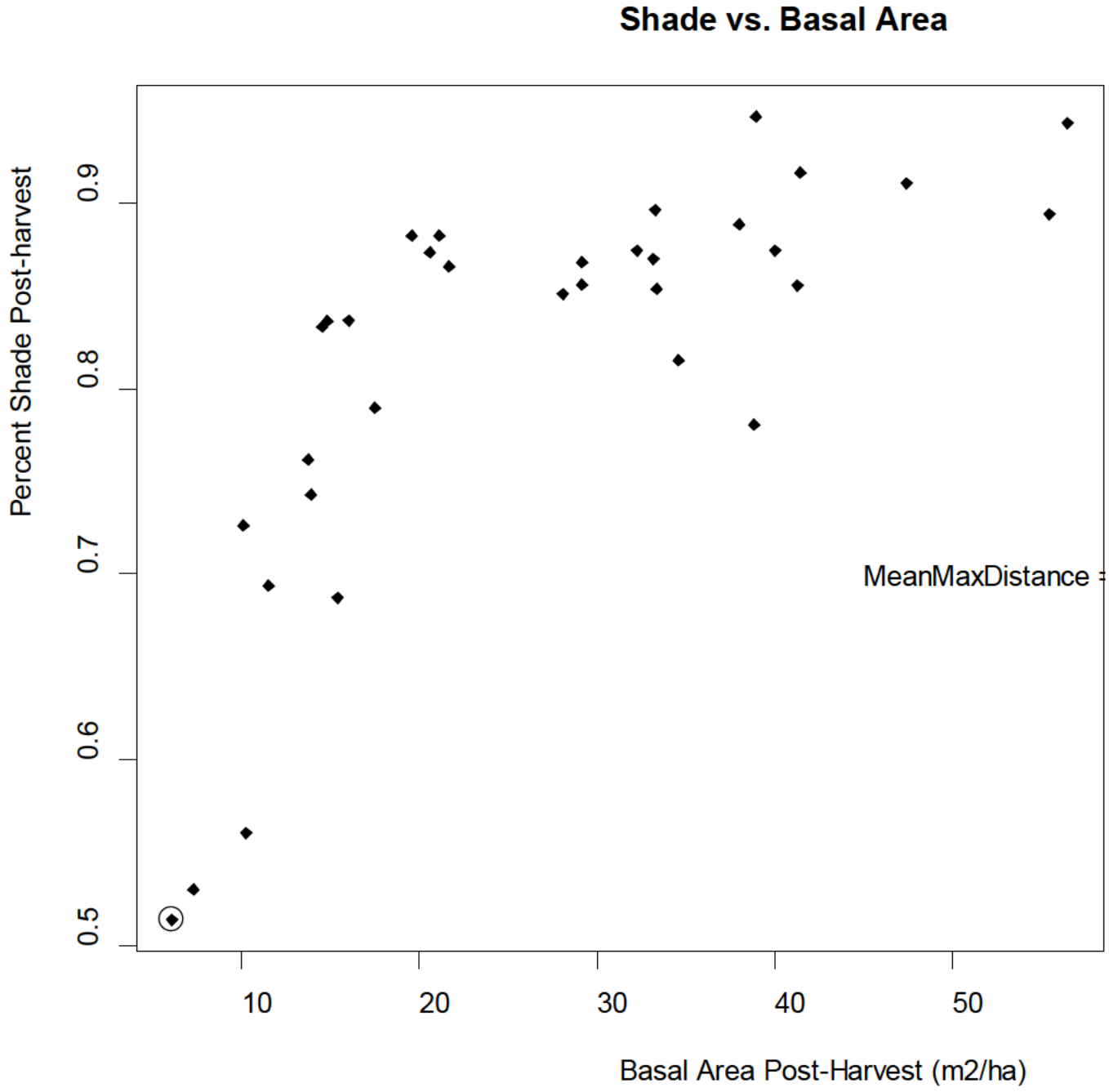
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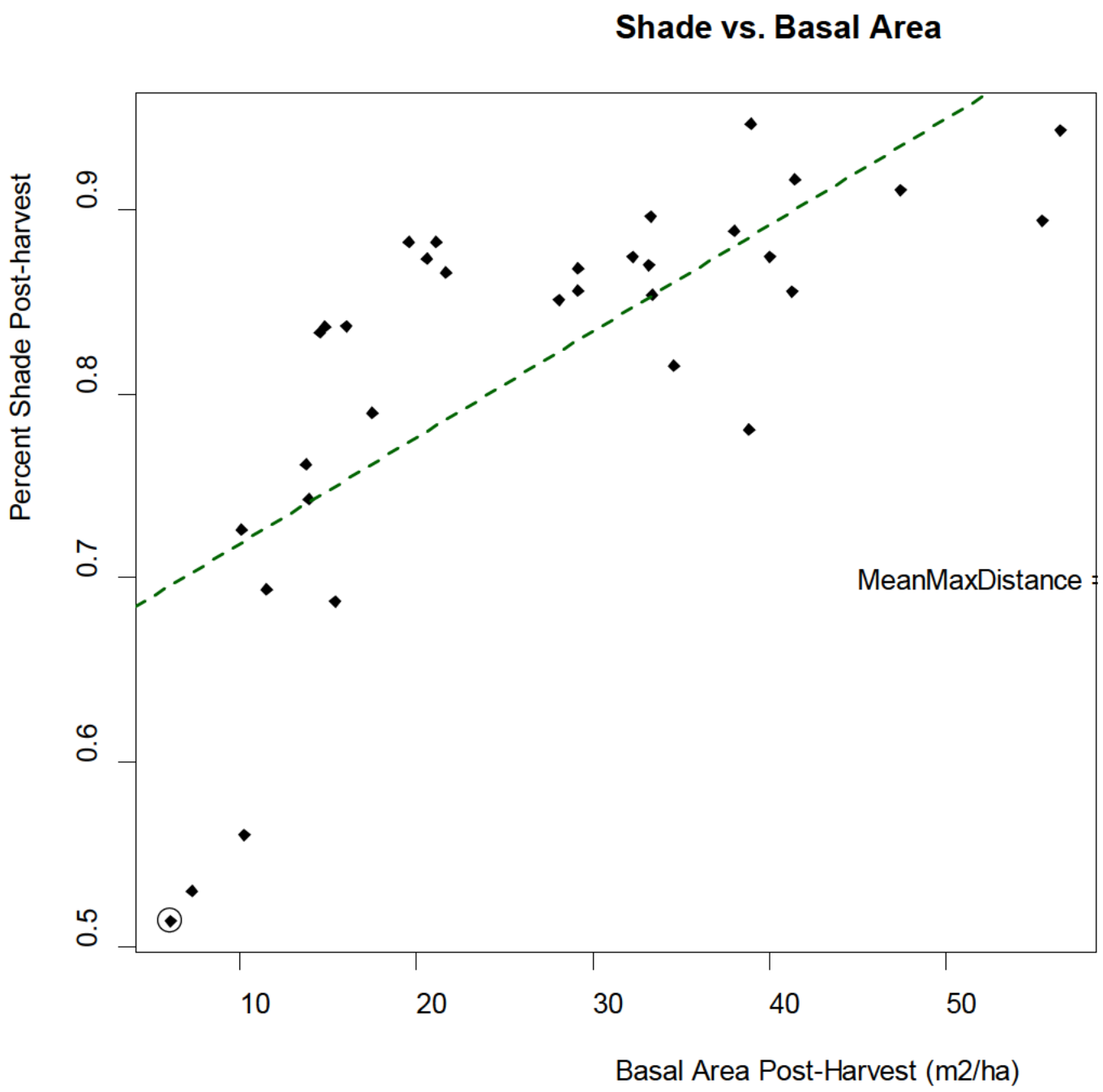
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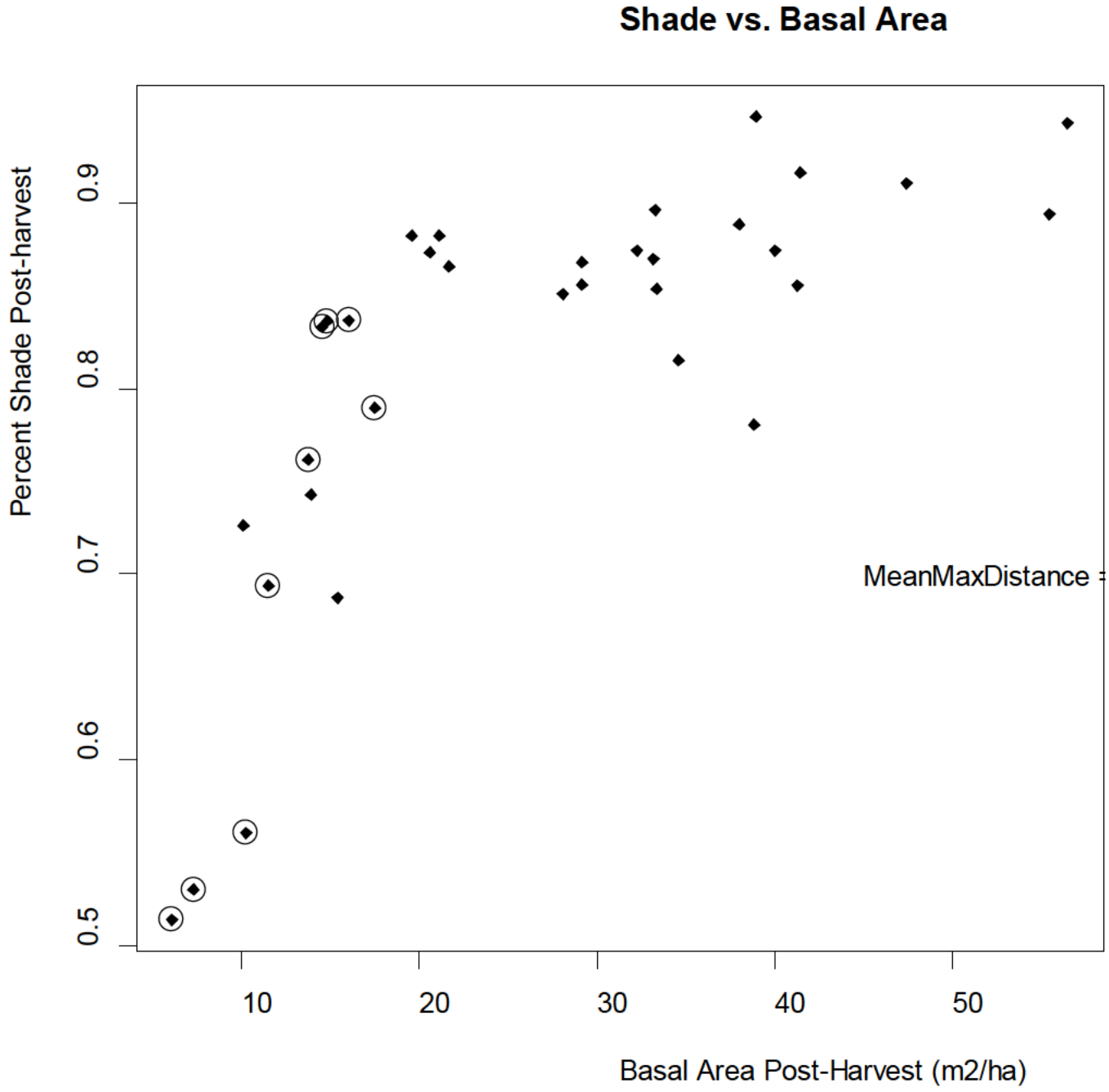
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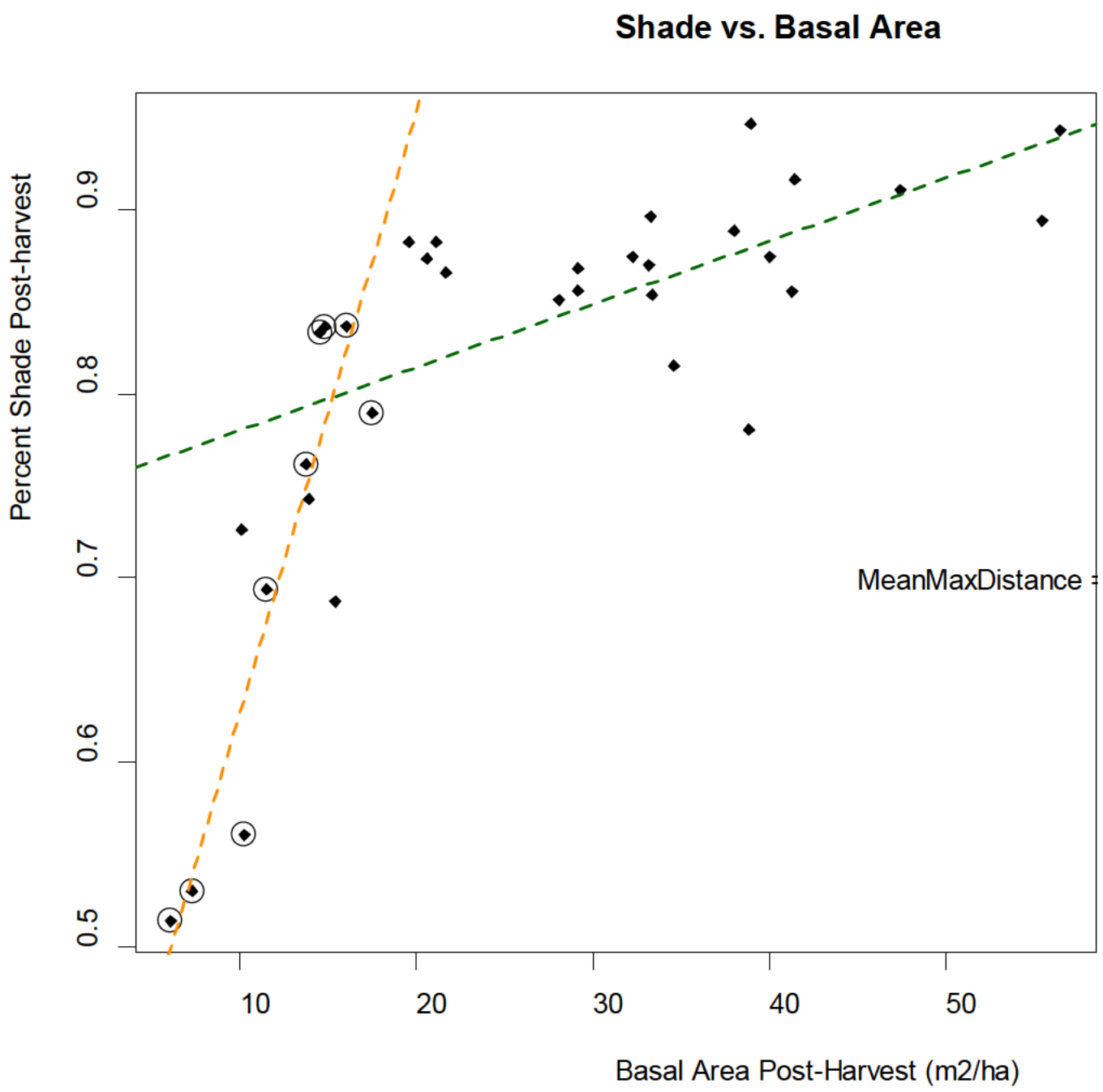
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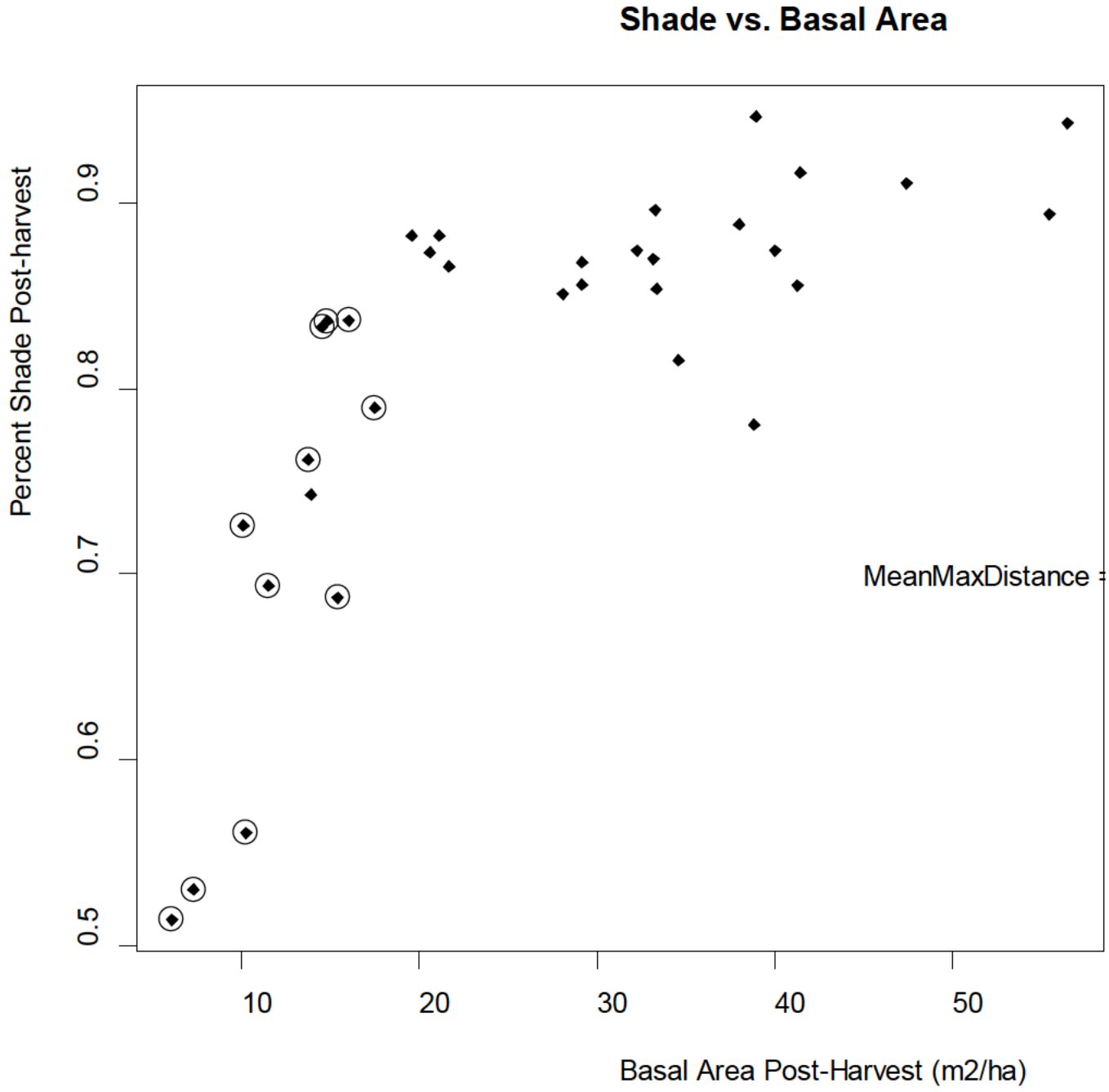
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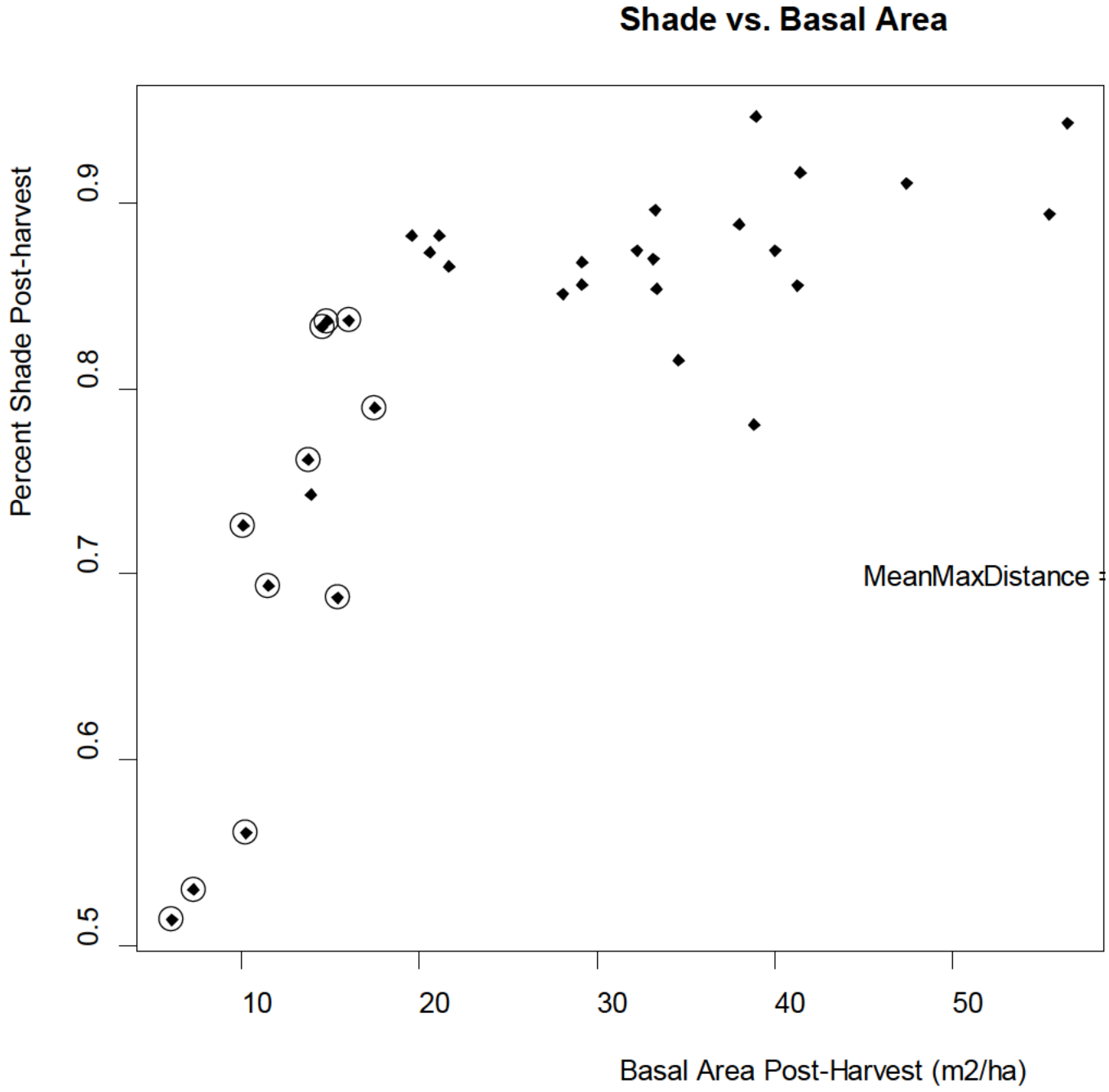
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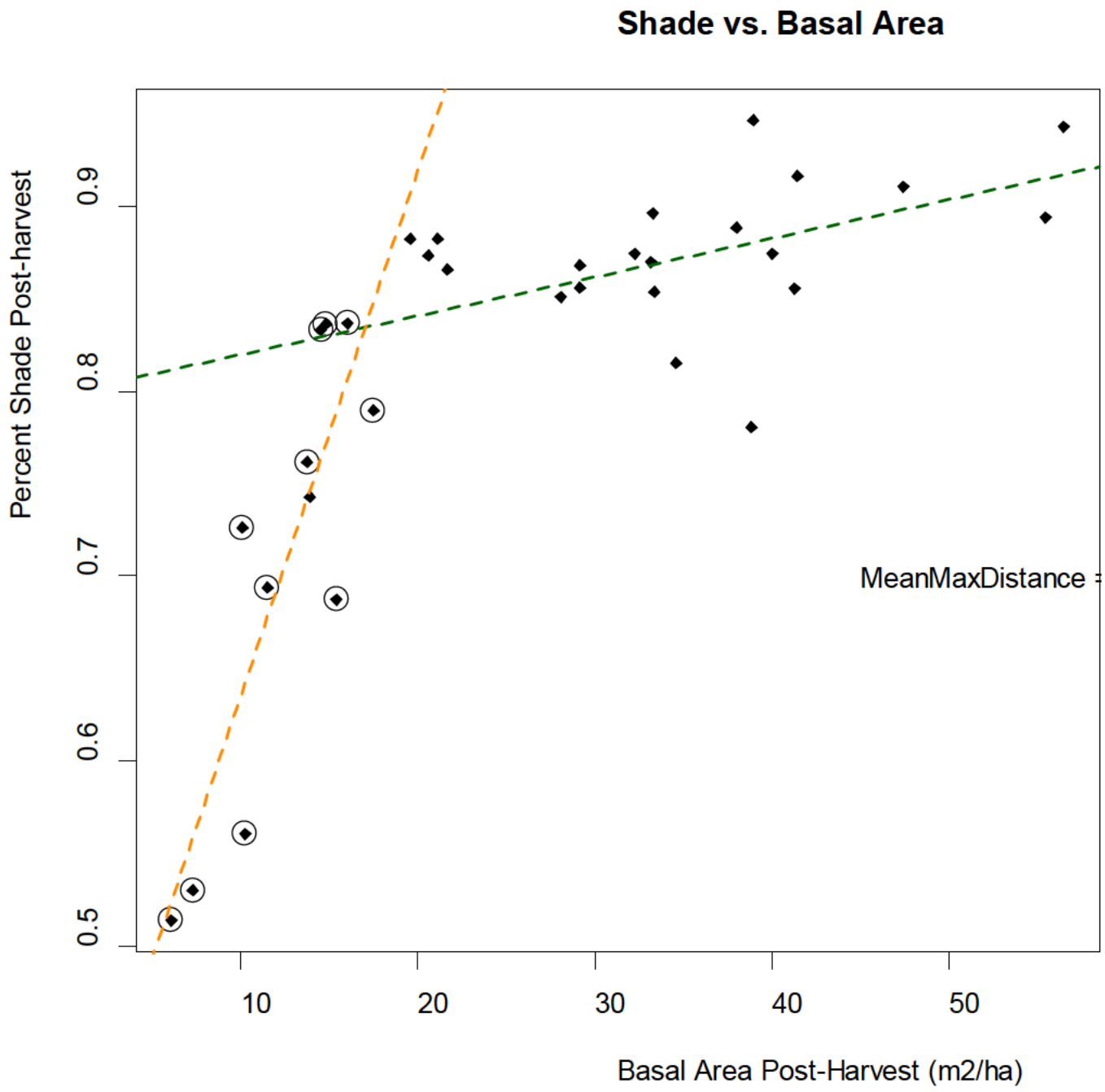
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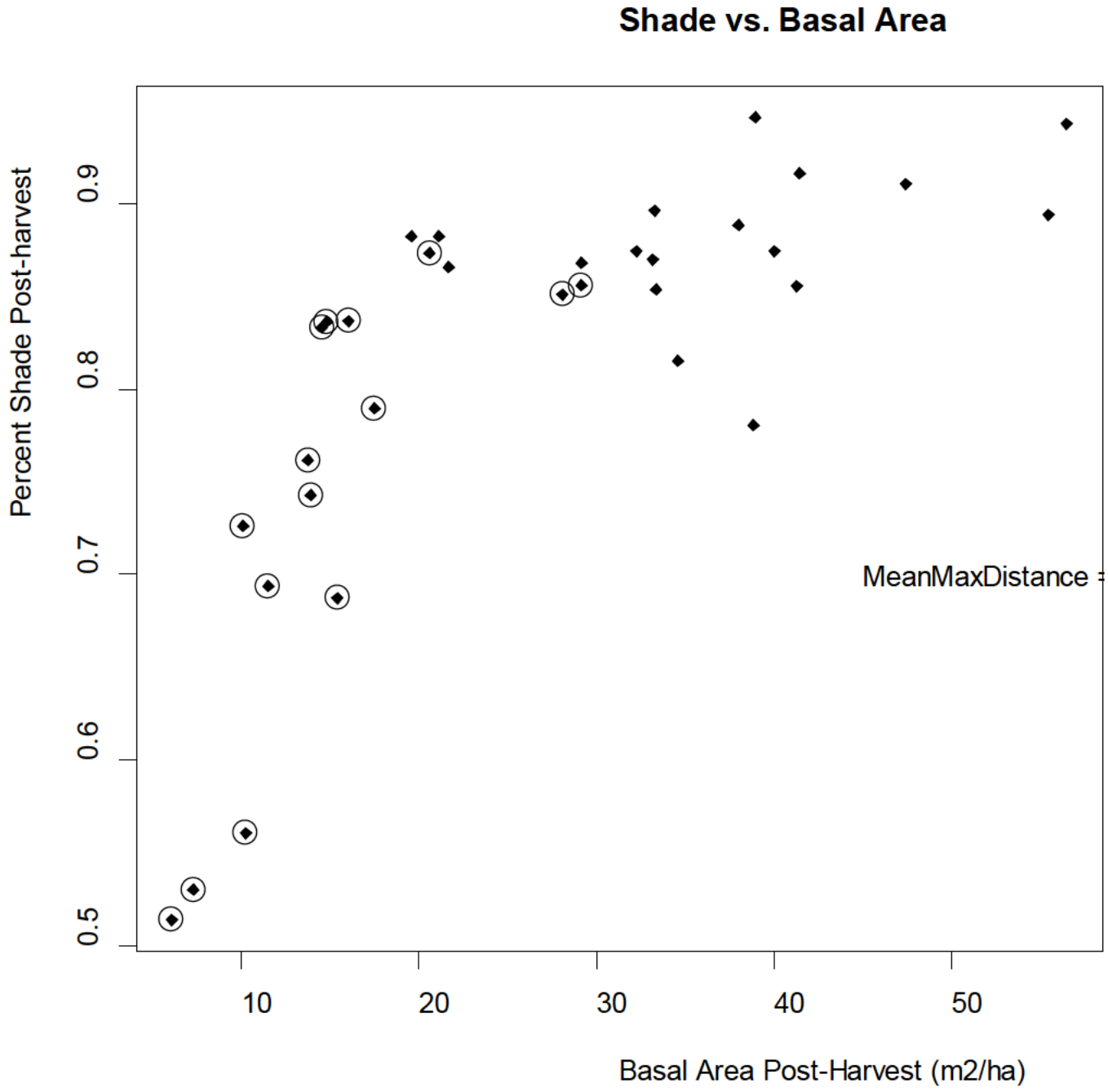
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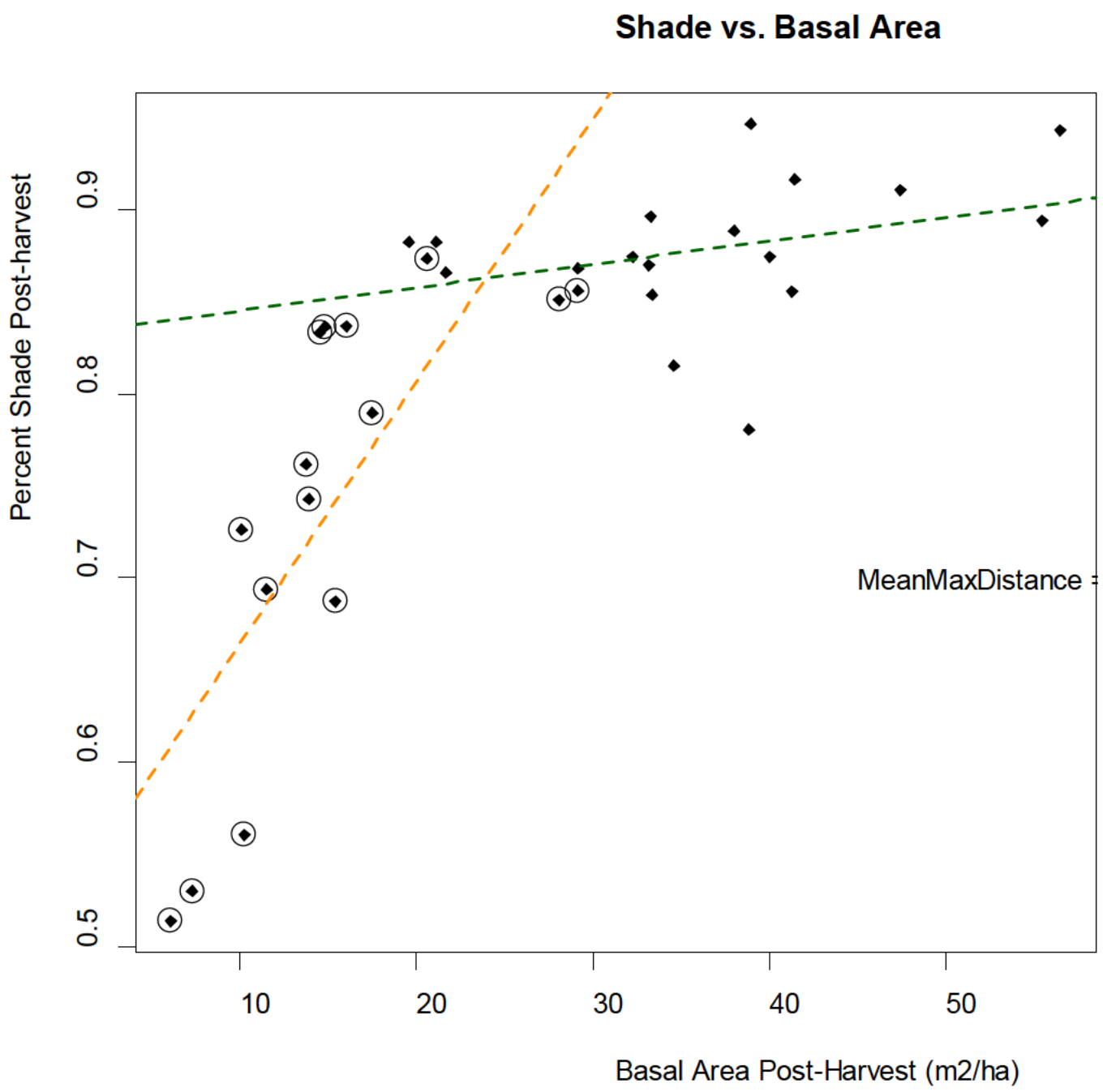
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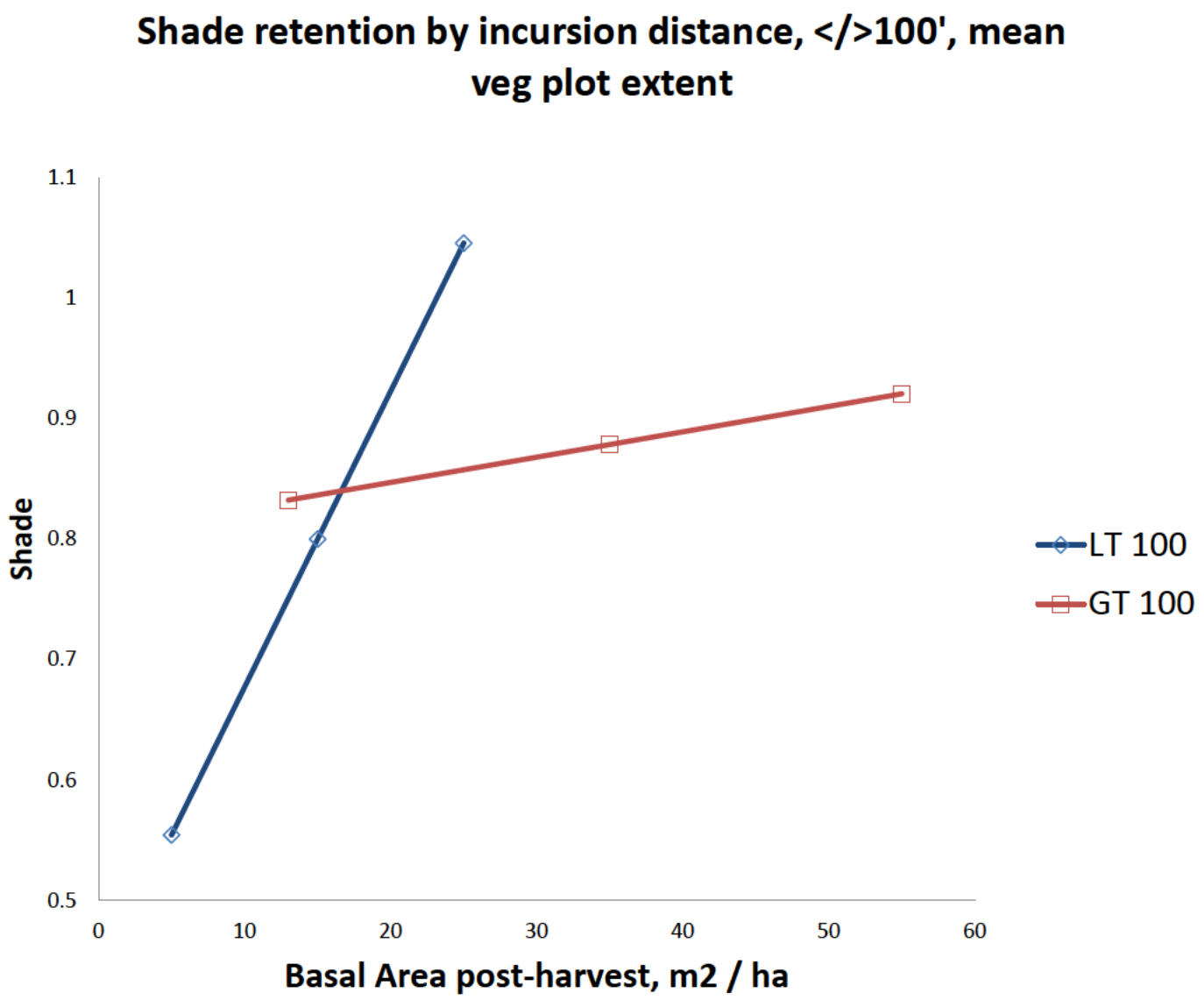
Shade v.2.0

- Pre-harvest: Shade = raw shade data (not modeled)

- Post-harvest:

$$Shade_{Post} = \alpha_{Shade} + \beta_{1Shade} LT100 + \beta_{2Shade} BasalAreaPost170 + \beta_{3Shade} LT100 * Basal\ AreaPost170 + \beta_{4Shade} TreeHeightPre170$$


Shade retention by incursion distance, </>100', mean veg plot extent
Shade
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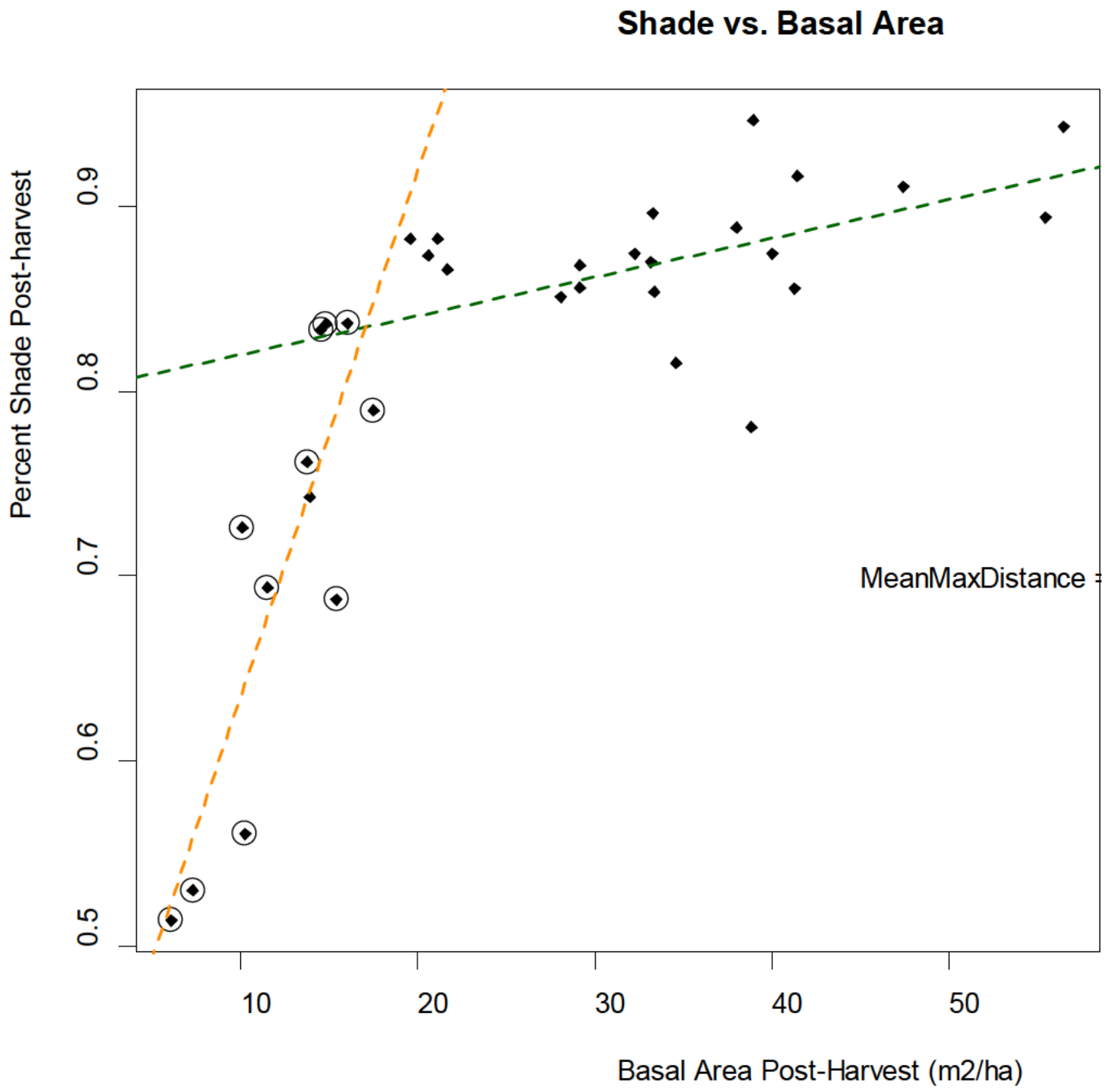
Basal Area post-harvest, m2 / ha
LT 100
GT 100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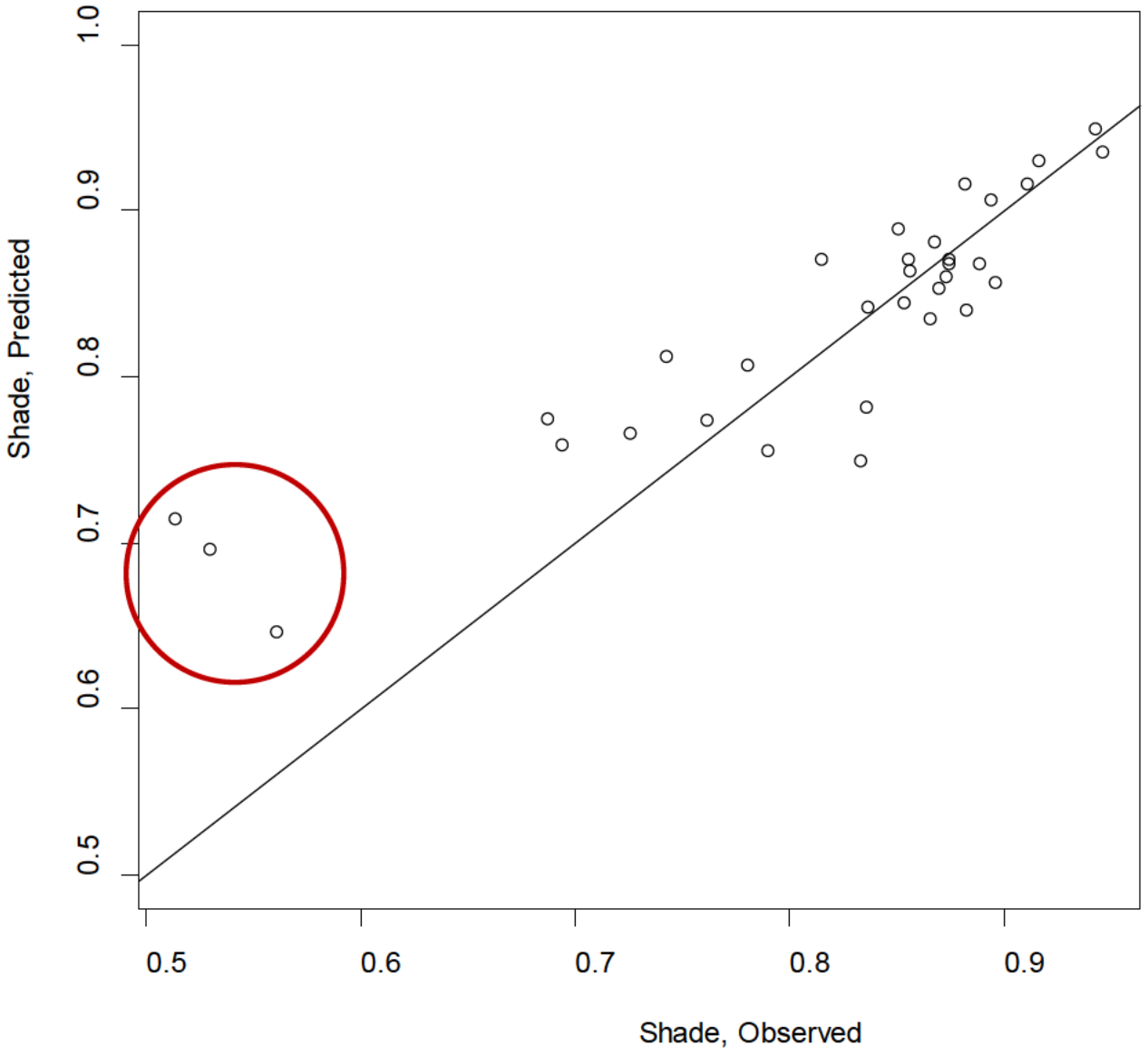
Shade decisions

- Reason to limit BA examined to <100’
- Didn’t like Shade 1 (fit, too many variables, hard to explain)
- Logit of shade?

Shade 1: Observed data vs. Predicted data

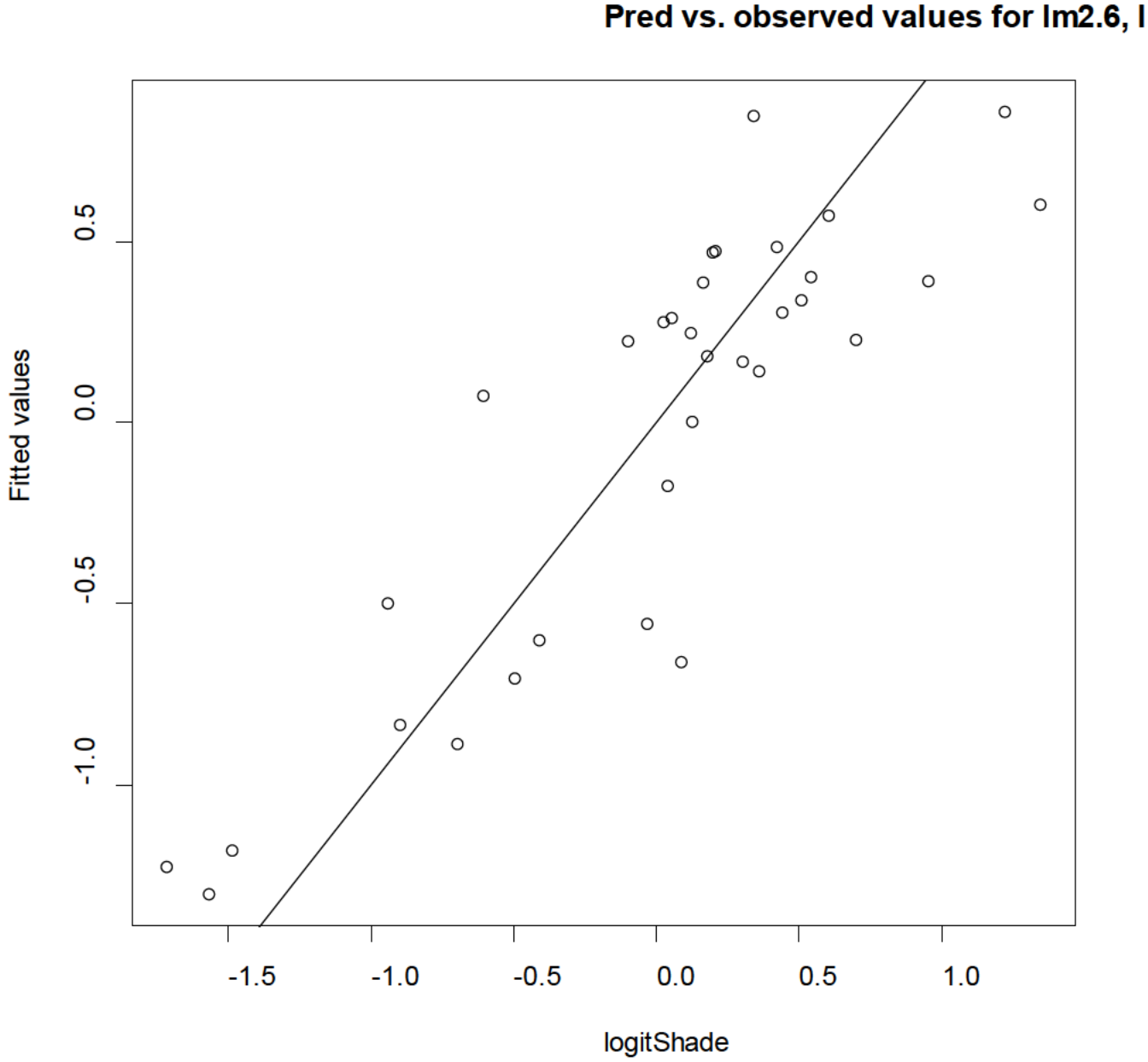


Shade 4(?)

- Within 100’ of stream
- Logit shade depends on
  - % difference in basal area
  - Percent hardwood (preharvest)
  - Tree height (like original model)

$$[4] \quad Logit\ Shade_{Prest} = \alpha_{Shade} + \beta_{1Shade} PctDifferenceBA_{100} + \beta_{2Shade} PctBWD_{Pre100} + \beta_{3Shade} TreeHt_{100}$$

$R^2 = 0.78$


Pred vs. observed values for lm2.6, l
Fitted values
0.5
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-0.5
-1.0
-1.5
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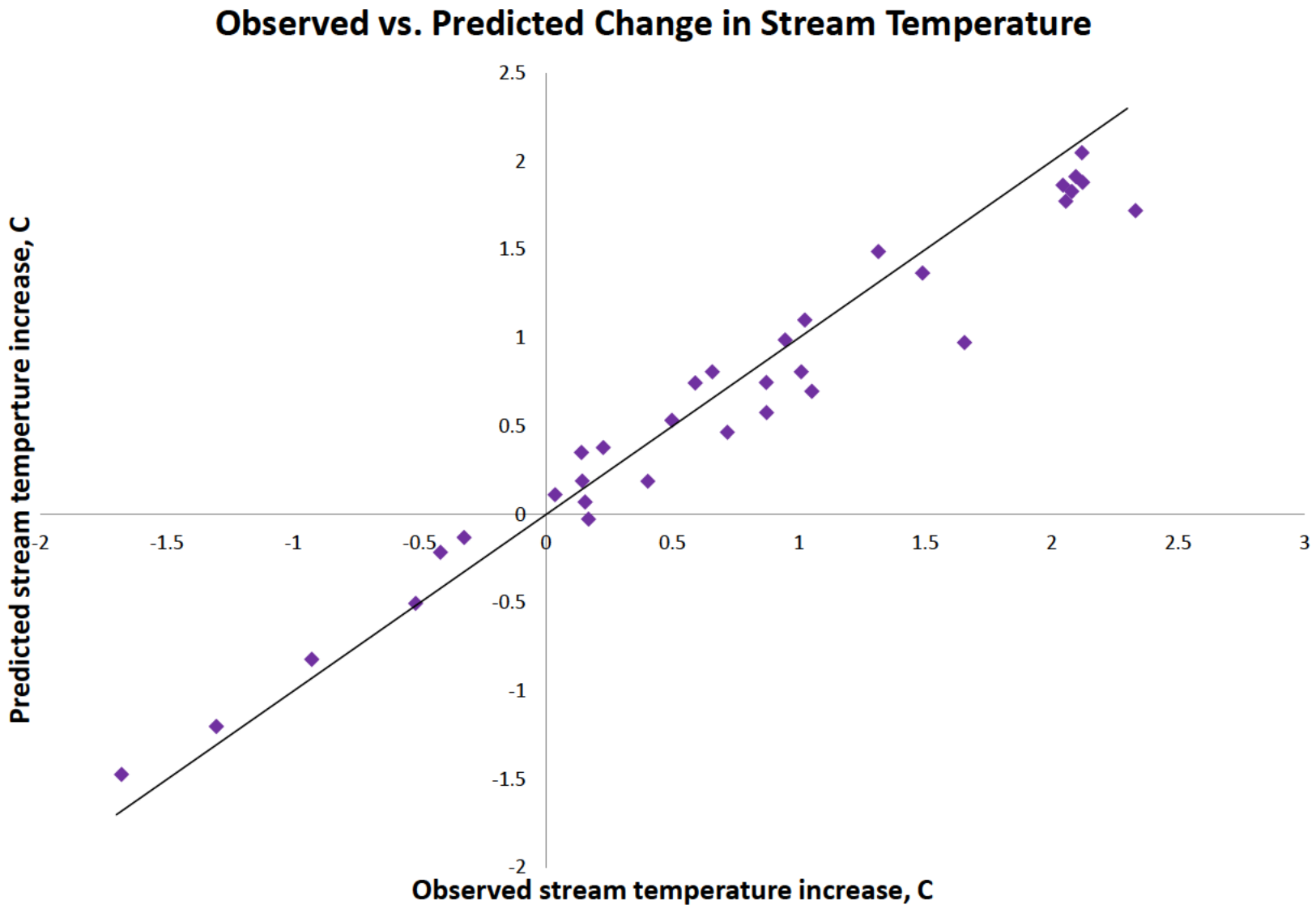
1.0
logitShade

Back to the Analysis…

All estimated at once, Shade 4

$$Logit\ Shade_{Post} = \alpha_{Shade} + \beta_{1Shade} PctDifferenceRA_{100} + \beta_{2Shade} PctBFWD_{Pre100} + \beta_{3Shade} TreeHt_{100})$$

$$\Delta T_{3-2ij} = \alpha_0 + \alpha_j + (\beta_1 \Delta TControl_{2-1} + \beta_i \Delta TControl_{2-1j}) + \beta_2 TreatmentReachLength + \beta_3 Shade_{Post} + \beta_4 GradientQuartile$$


Observed vs. Predicted Change in Stream Temperature
Predicted stream temperture increase, C
Observed stream temperature increase, C
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Prediction

$$\Delta\hat{T}_{3-2ij} = \alpha_0 + \alpha_j + (\beta_1 \Delta TControl_{2-1} + \beta_i \Delta TControl_{2-1j}) + \beta_2 TreatmentReachLength + \beta_3 (inverse\ logit\ of: \alpha_{Shade} + \beta_{1Shade} PctDifferenceBA + \beta_{2Shade} PctHwd_{100} + \beta_{3Shade} TreeHeightPre_{100}) + \beta_4 GradientQuartile$$

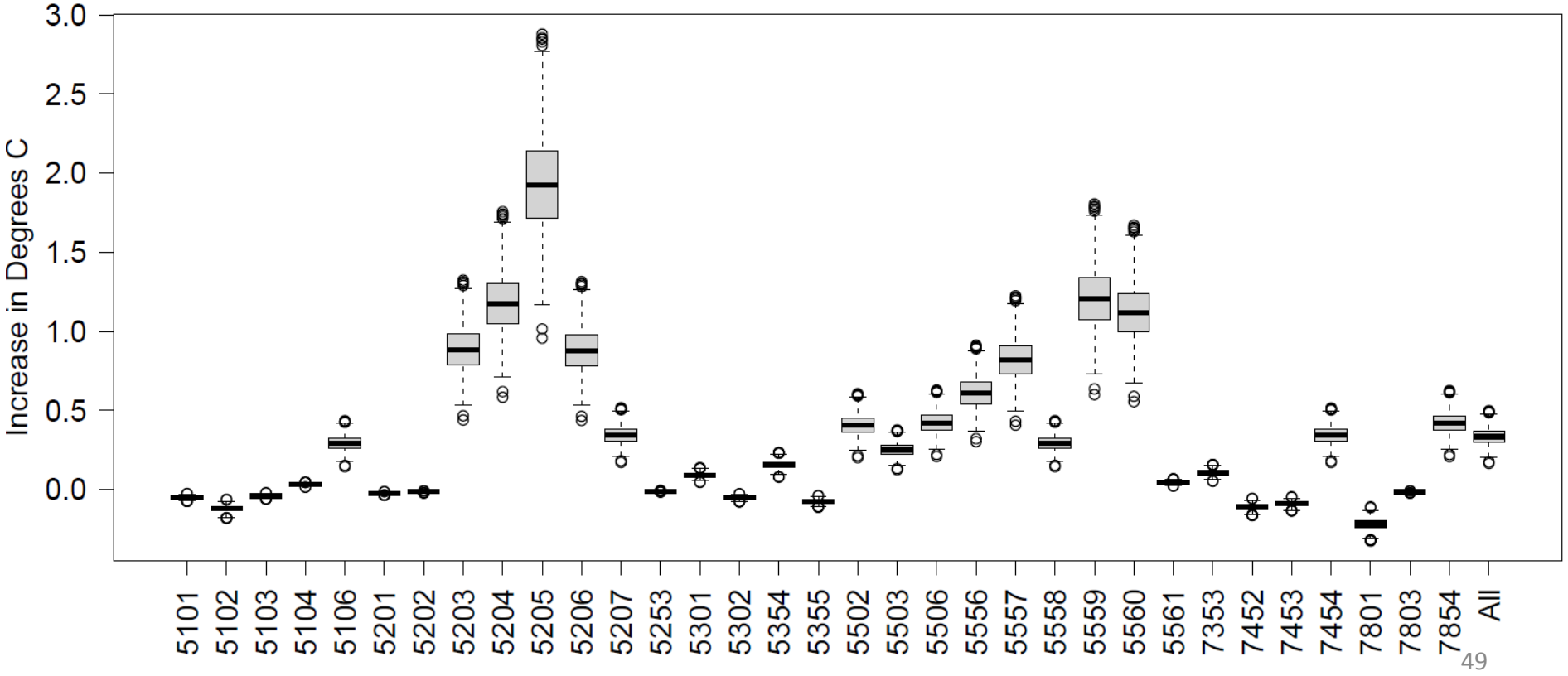
For first year post-harvest, **BA_Reduction** =

1) Simulated change 2) Zero change

→ Subtract these values. Get estimates.

As Harvested – Predicted (Shade 2)

State Mean = 0.001 Private = 0.57



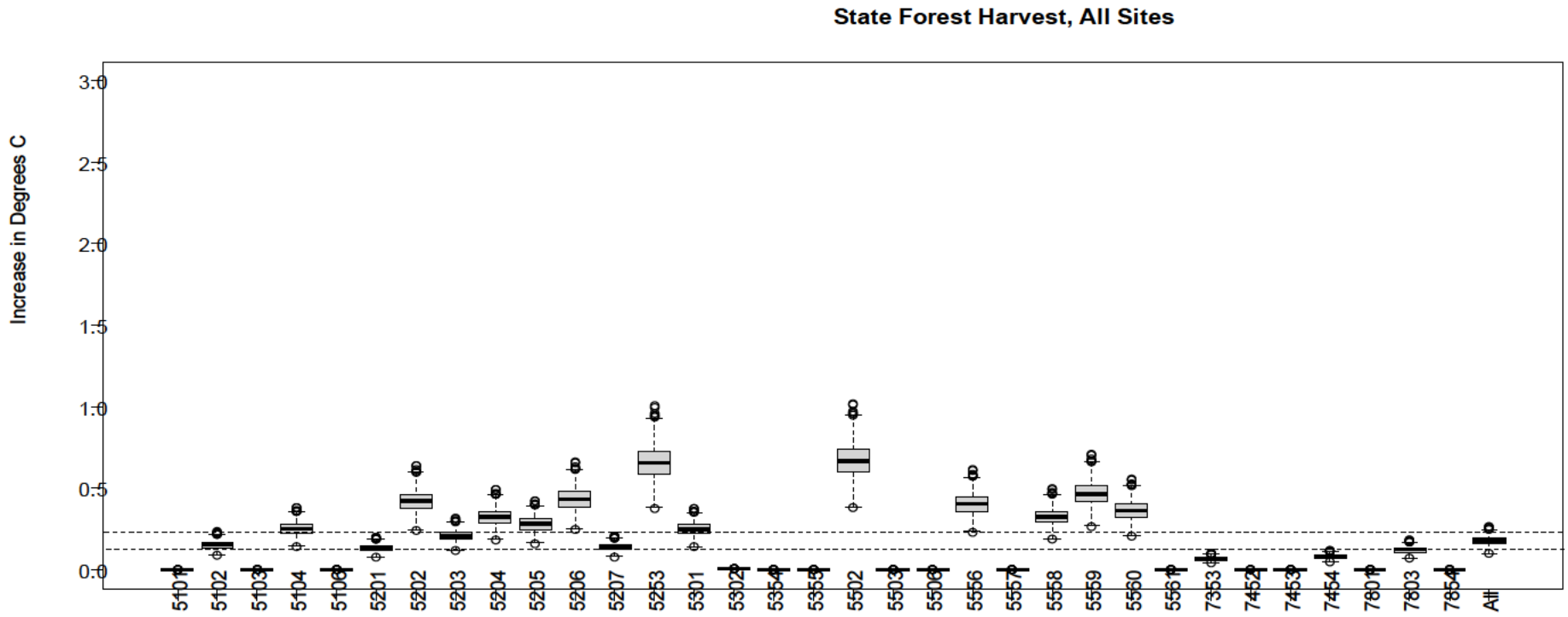
Harvest simulation

- Simulate harvests by specifying:
  - hardwood and conifer BA retention
  - Distance of no-cut buffers
  - Retention by diameter class
  - Number of retention trees
  - SDI
  - Height (harder)
- Report resulting basal area, basal area reduction, harvest distance (LT100)

- Can report other metrics

State Forests – Simulated (Shade 2, < 100')

Quantiles: 50% = **0.17** 75%= **0.19** 95% = **0.21**



Next Steps

- Statistician input (Friday)
- Finalize shade model selection
- Predictions for SF & Private
  - Incorporating slope distance correction for Private
- Sensitivity analysis
- Explore suite of possible prescriptions
- Write up methods